



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/533,941                      Group Art Unit: 1711  
Filing Date: October 25, 2005                      Examiner: Sanza L. McClendon  
Applicant: Dirk Wybe GRIJPM et al.  
Title: METHOD FOR PROVIDING SHAPED BIODEGRADABLE  
AND ELASTOMERIC STRUCTURES OF (CO) POLYMERS  
1,3-TRIMETHYLENE CARBONATE (TMC), SHAPED  
BIODEGRADABLE AND ELASTOMERIC STRUCTURES,  
AND THE USE OF THESE STRUCTURES  
Attorney Docket: 5100-000015/US

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**Mail Stop Amendment**

Date: March 5, 2008

**AMENDMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 7, 2007, the due date having been extended three (3) months to March 7, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	24	-	24	=	0
Independent	1	-	3	=	0